

**PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE EIGHT-HOUR OZONE PLAN
FOR THE MARICOPA NONATTAINMENT AREA**

June 1, 2007 - 5:30 p.m.
June 4, 2007 - 5:30 p.m.
MAG Offices, Saguaro Room
302 North 1st Avenue, Second Floor
Phoenix, Arizona 85003

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) and Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) will jointly conduct two public hearings on the Draft Eight-Hour Ozone Plan for the Maricopa Nonattainment Area on June 1 and June 4, 2007, at 5:30 p.m. The purpose of these hearings is to receive public comments.

According to the federal Clean Air Act, an eight-hour ozone plan is required to be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The plan contains a variety of air pollution control measures such as summer reformulated gasoline, vehicle emissions testing, traffic signal coordination, intelligent transportation systems, and a County rule for polystyrene foam operations. The plan demonstrates attainment of the eight-hour ozone standard by June 15, 2009 with federal, state, and local control measures that have already been implemented in the Maricopa nonattainment area.

The draft document is available for review at the MAG Offices, third floor, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Public comments are welcome at these hearings, or may be submitted in writing by 5:30 p.m. on June 4, 2007 to Lindy Bauer at the address below. After considering the public comments, the MAG Regional Council Executive Committee may take action on the plan on June 11, 2007. The ADEQ may then adopt the plan for submittal to the EPA.

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